

## **House Bill 4591**

### **Consolidated Amendment**

**Amendments from General Gaming, Regulation:** 2, 3, 7, 8, 11, 16, 26, 27, 31, 38, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 51, 52, 61, 62, 63, 64, 67, 72, 73, 74, 77, 86, 88, 91, 99, 100, 108, 109, 110, 124, 125, 128, 131, 138, 158, 159, 160, 167, 168, 170, 174, 177, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 186, 187, 189, 191, 195, 196, 199, 200, and 206

Mr. Murphy of Burlington, Mr. Dempsey of Haverhill and others move to the bill by inserting after the word “commission.”, in line 57, the following sentence:-

The code shall include provisions reasonably necessary to carry out the purposes of section 11M including, but not limited to: (i) prohibiting the receipt of gifts by a division employee from any gaming licensee, applicant, close associate, affiliate or other person or entity subject to the jurisdiction of the commission established by chapter 23K; and (ii) prohibiting the participation by a division employee in any particular matter as defined by section 1 of chapter 268A that affects the financial interest of any relative within the third degree of consanguinity or person with whom such employee has a significant relationship as defined by such code.;

And move to further amend the bill by inserting after the word “eligible”, in line 559, the following sentence:- The executive director shall consider current employees of the state racing commission as eligible for employment with the commission and shall transfer said employees into the commission if qualified under this chapter.;

And move to further amend the bill by striking out, in lines 590 to 592, inclusive, and inserting in place thereof the following:-

The code shall include provisions reasonably necessary to carry out the purposes of this chapter and any other laws subject to the jurisdiction of the commission including, but not limited to: (i) prohibiting the receipt of gifts by a commissioner and employee from any gaming licensee, applicant, close associate, affiliate or other person or entity subject to the jurisdiction of the commission; (ii) prohibiting the participation by a commissioner and employee in any particular matter as defined by section 1 of chapter 268A that affects the financial interest of any relative within the third degree of consanguinity or person with whom such commissioner or employee has a significant relationship as defined by such code; and (iii) for recusal of a commissioner in any licensing decision due to a potential conflict of interest.;

And move to further amend the bill in subsection 5 of section 12 by inserting after clause (11) the following new clauses:-

(12) require the posting of payback statistics of slot machines played in a gaming facility; and  
(13) require that all gaming establishments have security patrols outside the gaming establishments who conduct regular checks of parking areas for minors left in motor vehicles and shall immediately report any such finding to security personnel at the gaming establishment.;

And move to further amend the bill by inserting after the word “casino”, in line 2039, the following words:- including any associated hotel and individual rooms and mini-bars at such hotels.;

And move to further amend the bill by striking out, in line 2313, the word “establishment” and inserting in place thereof the following word:- facility;

And move to further amend the bill by inserting after the word “chapter”, in line 2313, the following words:- ; provided, however, that the state police shall execute a memorandum of understanding with the law enforcement agency of the host community that shall include, but not be limited to, procedures involving: (i) first responder calls from the gaming establishment; (ii) emergencies occurring within the gaming establishment, including the gaming facility; and (iii) criminal investigations involving employees or patrons of the gaming establishment; provided further that the bureau of investigations and enforcement shall have the authority to restrict areas in the gaming establishment with direct access to the gaming facility.

And move to further amend the bill by striking out, in lines 2695 to 2704, inclusive, the following words:- (v) Any person who knowingly transmits or receives a wager of any type by any telecommunication device, including telephone, cellular phone, Internet, local area network, including wireless local networks, or any other similar device or equipment or other medium of communication, or knowingly installs or maintains said device or equipment for the transmission or receipt of wagering information shall be punished by imprisonment in a jail or house of correction for not more than 2 years, or by a fine of not more than \$25,000, or both such fine or imprisonment.

And move to further amend the bill by striking out, in line 3137, the number “12” and inserting in place thereof the following number: 14;

And move to further amend the bill by inserting after the word “representatives;”, in line 3143, the following words:- 1 of whom shall be appointed by the minority leader of the senate; 1 of whom shall be appointed by the minority leader of the house of representatives;.

And move to further amend the bill by inserting after the word “commission”, in line 3151, the following new sentences:-

The council shall establish a tourism subcommittee whose purpose is to develop policies that facilitate the integration of gaming establishments into local tourism regions. The subcommittee shall submit any proposed recommendations to the commission within 4 months of the deadline for receipt of applications for a gaming license pursuant to section 10.